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**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE**

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Sir:

This paper is submitted in response to an Office Action mailed February 27, 2007 by the United States Patent and Trademark Office in connection with the above-identified Application. A response to this February 27, 2007 Office Action is due by May 27, 2007. Therefore, this paper is being timely filed.

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